

**New Point and Vicinity.**  
—Dan. Boswell's baby is quite sick with cold.  
—Miss Ida Hodges returned to St. Joseph Sunday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Lay went to Oregon Sunday.  
—C. W. Lukens was in Oregon Thursday of last week.  
—There is a bit of sickness among children mostly heavy cold.  
—Rob. Hamm is visiting home folks. He came in from Canada.  
—A. E. Kelley and Will Shunk made a business trip to Oregon Monday.  
—Rev. T. D. Roberts was able to preach Sunday morning and evening.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hardman returned from Kansas City last Friday.  
—Little Don Hardman was quite sick a few days, but is about well now.  
—Miss Pansy Roberts returned from Maitland Saturday where she visited several days.  
—Mrs. Harve Chamberlain visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Lentz, Saturday and Sunday.  
—Mrs. J. B. Coffin is much better again. She was one of the many victims of bad colds.  
—Mrs. Watson Bloomer left Wednesday of last week to visit her daughter at Grain Valley.  
—Mrs. Dan Dreher was quite sick the first of the week. Don't ask Dan anything about house work.  
—Mrs. Geo. Lukens and baby came up from Kansas City last Monday to visit Grandpa and Grandma Lukens.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Taylor left the first of the week for Firth, Neb., where they expect to make their home and conduct the restaurant work.  
—Mrs. Will Lentz has so far improved that she visited friends in St. Joseph last week. If the weather permits she will return home this week.  
—For sale, a small millinery stock and a few fixtures. As I will not continue in the millinery business I will sell my stock reasonable. Call on, or write to Mrs. L. Terry, New Point, Mo.

—Misses Louise Kramer, Bessie Coffin, Pansy Roberts, Mattie Glenn, Lula Praisewater and Messrs John Kramer, Bert and Clyde Smith and Sherman Britte went to Maitland Tuesday evening to attend preaching.  
—A merry crowd met at the home of Ed. Davis, Thursday evening. Those present were the Misses Pearl Bender, Mae and Auri Kneal, Lottie and Frona Taylor, Iva Dreher, Hazel Crouse and Catharine Terry. Messrs. Claud and Albert Bender, Will and Rob. Kneal, Jesse Cain, Lester Painter, John Sloan, Otis Taylor and Earl Dreher. The evening was spent in merry games and contests. In the name contest, Lester Painter and Hazel Crouse won the privilege of eating the second time. In the fish contest Rob. Kneal and Hazel Crouse won the box of candy. The word contest was quite original as the answers to questions were names to those invited.

**Napier and Vicinity.**  
—Henry Banks went to Edgeon Tuesday.  
—W. G. Craig was busy putting up ice last week.  
—Mrs. Lena Portis is on the sick list this week.  
—Myrtle Tuck began work at Ed Scott's Monday.  
—Roy Noland had business at Keok's Sunday evening.  
—Miss Anna Walden spent Sunday with home folks.  
—Joe Noland has returned home after a week's visit in Table Rock, Neb.  
—George Craig visited friends in Fortescue Sunday.  
—Lewis Banks transacted business in Oregon Monday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. B. Brown, of Kansas City, visited with their parents over Sunday.  
—Mrs. Alfred Noland and daughter Gertrude, were shopping in St. Joseph last week.

—Lise Bush gave a dance at his home Friday evening which was well attended, about 15 couples being present.  
**BENO.**

**P. E. O. Program.**  
January 29, 1909.  
Officers: Mrs. C. D. Zook.  
Lesson: Review 11, 12, 13, 14.  
Music: Miss Montgomery.  
Magazine Review: Mrs. Zook.  
History of the painter of "The Last Supper," Mrs. NanBaskirk.

**The Woman's Union.**  
January 25, 1909.  
"RED CROSS WOMEN"  
Roll Call. Quotations.  
Paper: "Development of the Red Cross Movement."  
Music: Selected. Miss Bragg.  
Faper: "Clara Barton."  
Mrs. Mabel Tate.  
Round Table.

**Lincoln.**  
—Ice-harvesting is about over with.  
—Mrs. Richard Hoover, of Forest City, visited her parents, Jeff Kieffer and wife, Friday.  
—David Crider and wife have gone to housekeeping.  
—Frank Kieffer shipped his cattle to St. Joseph, Tuesday.  
—Misses, Roxie Carson, Ida Gould and Maude Bloomer spent Sunday with Bessie and Mae Moore.  
—Miss Mattie Jackson who is teaching the Oak Grove school came home sick Monday with a severe cold.  
—Mrs. Watson Bloomer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Kershaw, of Grain Valley.  
—There is to be a box supper at the school house, this Friday evening, January 22d. Boys get your girls and come and have a good time. Every girl must bring a box if she wants to enjoy herself. There is also a box of bon-bons to be given away to the prettiest girl in the house.

**Benton.**  
—The sick of the neighborhood are improving.  
—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Derr spent Sunday at the Hutton farm.  
—Clota Beeler took a load of cattle to St. Joseph, Monday of this week.  
—Miss Lena Beeler entertained her friend, Miss Lizzie Field Monday night.  
—Miss Lucy Fields visited her cousin, Mrs. Mattie Barnes, of the Oakland district, last Sunday.  
—Sam Nowels and wife spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Nowels' parents, John Wing and wife.  
—Miss Clara Fields left Sunday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Cora Fleming, of Nebraska.  
—The Misses Gertrude Wicker and Jesta Cason visited at the home of W. T. Fields, the last of the week.

**Presbyterian Church Notes.**  
—Sunday school had several additions Sunday.  
—Evangelistic services in the evening: "What Shall I Do to Be Saved."  
—The new classes are to be organized—one for boys and one for girls.  
—Several visitors worshipped with us Sunday. Come again. We have a warm welcome for you.  
—Everybody welcome. We will have good music. A helpful service, and a word of good cheer.  
—The services next Sunday morning will be especially interesting to parents: "How Shall We Train our Children in Christian Life."  
—The C. E. Society was unusually well attended in the evening. Miss Ettie Greene led and made the lesson very interesting. Four new members were received.

**Letter List.**  
List of unclaimed matter remaining in the postoffice at Oregon, Mo., for the week ending Jan. 22, 1909.  
**CARDS.**  
Mark Loucks, Mr. Lindsey, Matt Hall, Mr. James Guyer, Mr. J. M. Alumbaugh.  
In calling for the above, please say "advertised." G. H. ALLEN, P. M.

**A New Device.**  
There are two ways of looking at the charge of relating made by the government against one of the Chicago packing companies and one of the great railway systems of the west. The evidence found against these two concerns is, of course, a fresh admonition that the enforcement of the Anti-Trust law imposes the obligation of eternal vigilance. It also suggests that so long as new devices may be employed either to deceive the officials or to circumvent the law, there will be agencies ready to employ them.

On the other hand, it is a favorable commentary on the efficiency of the law that, after eight months of investigation of all the packers and all the railroads in Chicago, charges have been filed against only two companies. And even these charges will be contested on the ground that the law has not been violated, but there has simply been a change in classifications. However, the fact remains that when a shipper seeks and a railway allows a preferential rate under some new rule of classification, such a rate should not be employed until the legal authorities of the government have endorsed it. A frank and honest policy would direct that such points be referred to those responsible for the enforcement of the law.  
Let the corporations and the railways understand that there is no discharge from the war which the government and the people have inaugurated against the vicious policy of rebating.

—Mrs. W. C. Proed was a St. Joseph visitor, this week.  
—The death roll for 1908 will be found on the second page.  
—Perkins "The Cooler" has put up over 3,000 tons of ice ranging from 10 to 14 inches.  
—The docket for the February term of the probate court will be found on our sixth page.  
—The friends of little Mildred King planned a surprise on her Monday evening, and a right good time they had too.  
—Miss Maude Alkire has been ill this week and for several days was unable to be at her duties in the school room.  
—Mrs. Alice Kunz left Wednesday of this week for Sycamore Springs, Kansas, in search of health. We trust that she will return greatly improved.  
—Married, by Rev. C. H. Werner, on Tuesday of this week, 19th inst., at Forest City, Roy E. Fellers, of Craig, and Miss Mildred Baird, of Redding, Iowa.

—The M. E. church has engaged Rev's Hamilton and Underwood, to conduct a series of meetings beginning the first Sunday in February, and a joyous revival is anticipated.  
—Charles A. Zachman left Tuesday of this week for Hurley, Bailey county, Texas, where he goes in the hopes of benefitting his health, and will try farming in that country. We hope he will succeed.  
—Cottage prayer meetings will be held at the homes of the members of the M. E. church, on Tuesday and Friday of each week, until the Evangelists arrive to begin the revival meeting. Everybody invited.  
—Rev. Underwood who will conduct the singing during the coming revival meetings at the M. E. church, is known to be a fine vocal instructor, and as he will organize a large choir and excellent music is expected. Come and hear them.

—Little eight-year-old Margery Fitzmaurice, of Forest City, received from the M. E. Sabbath school of that town, a very handsome pictorial Bible as a reward for having learned in less than six hours, The Apostles' Creed; 23rd Psalm, Disciples and their relationship; the Ten Commandments; the Beatitudes and the Lord's Prayer. A very brilliant future stretches out before this sweet child.  
—We call our readers' attention to the beautiful ad in this week's issue of our paper of Block Brothers Clothing Company, St. Joseph, Mo. They are having their first great clothing sale in their new store and are offering men's boys' and children's overcoats, suits and pants at 75c on the dollar. The goods are all brand new and of this season's styles and this is, undoubtedly one of the greatest clothing treats ever given to the people of this section.

—It was Bryan Benton's turn and on Friday of last week he made good his turn. While coasting on the sidewalk on the Crowell hill, his sled took him off the walk and collided with a large tree, injuring his shoulder and bruising him up quite badly. He had presence of mind to turn his head in such a way as to avoid its contact with the tree, had it not been for this, his skull would have been crushed. The Drs. Priddy were called and Bryan expects to be ready to go coasting again by the arrival of the next snow.

Married at the home of the bride's parents in Fairfax on Sunday, Jan. 10, Mr. Everett Ward, of Craig, and Miss Sophia Dragoon. They left Monday morning on a bridal trip to Oklahoma where they will spend a few days with J. W. Ward, a brother of the groom. The groom is a third son of Representative H. L. Ward and wife. He is a big manly man, industrious and a good farmer. They will reside on the H. L. Ward farm north of town. Here is hoping them a long lease on married life brimful of joys and blessings.

—Martin Seikman, while hauling a load of ice home last Friday, 15th inst., had his usual streak of luck. He had a long wooden trough on top of the chute, that he intended using for a "chute." In turning a corner the trough went off and he went with it. He struck the ground and the trough struck him a terrible blow across the right shoulder, breaking his collar bone and his shoulder blade. Dr. Evans was telephoned for and he adjusted the bones, but it will be several weeks before Martin will make a hand on the farm again.

—District Deputy Grand Master, W. S. Vandeventer, of Mound City, visited Forest City lodge of Odd Fellows on Thursday evening of last week and installed Jesse L. Thornhill, as noble grand; J. S. Comer, V. G.; John Anderson, treasurer; Fred Landers, recording secretary; Harry Teare, financial secretary; E. Miller, warden; David Wallace, R. S. N. G. After the installation, an enjoyable luncheon was served, and then the members returned to the lodge room where a mental feast was served and enjoyed until the lights "winked."

# 20% DISCOUNT

## FINAL REDUCTION ON FURS.

**Handsome Pieces in Small Furs: Squirrel, Mink, Fox, Near Seal, etc. Muffs and Scarfs of Opossum, Fox and Sealettes. Regular prices on Furs were 75c to \$15.00.**

# 20% DISCOUNT

**Is the final reduction on Ladies' Misses' and Children's Winter Cloaks. The styles are all new this season. We would advise an early selection while our assortment is still good.**

## FITTS-BUNKER MER. CO.,

OREGON, MISSOURI.

# PUBLIC SALE!

I will offer at Public Sale at my place, known as the Roe Wilson Farm two and one-half miles southwest of Forbes, Holt County, Missouri,

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1909.

Beginning at 10 o'clock, a. m., sharp, the following described property, to-wit:

**HORSES AND MULES**—13 head Horses and Mules: 1 span of Mares, 10 years old, weight about 1200 each, in foal; 1 gray Mare, 3 years old, not broke; 1 span of black Mules, 4 years old, weight 1100 each; 1 span of brown Mules, 9 years old, weight 1200 each; 1 span of yearling Mules. Also some young horses. Extra good trotting breed, sired by "Erna Russell, W. F. Davis' trotting horse.

**COWS**—1 good Milk Cow, giving plenty of milk, will be fresh in May.

**HOGS**—35 head of Thoroughbred Poland-China Hogs, consisting of 9 Brood Sows, farrow March and April; Shoats, ranging from 100 to 150 each. Some Extra good Males and Gilts.

**FARMING IMPLEMENTS**—2 Rock Island Listers and Drill Combined; 3 John Deere spring trip Cultivators; 1 New Departure spring trip Cultivator; 1 four section Harrow; 2 Stalk Bakes; 1 Rock Island Go-devil; 1 Corn King Go-devil; 2 Grindstones; 1 Diamond Corn Sheller; 1 Self dump Hay Rake; 1 5-foot Champion Mowing Machine; 1 Wood and 1 Hay Frame, 2 sets double team Harness; 1 set driving Harness; 1 Buggy. About 25 tons of prairie Hay in stack; 20 tons of Alfalfa Hay; baled about 400 bushels of White Corn in crib. 1200 Egg Truss Incubator and Brooder; 10 red of Rat Wire. Some Household goods and other things too numerous to mention.

**TERMS OF SALE**—All sums of \$10 and under, cash in hand; over that amount 10 months' credit, purchaser giving bankable note being 8 per cent interest from date. Terms to be complied with before any goods are removed.

**R. C. BENTON, Auctioneer.**  
**J. A. WILLIAMS, Clerk.**

## L. E. SIPES.

# PUBLIC SALE!

Having decided to quit farming, I will offer for sale on the Banks' farm, 5 miles north of Forest City and 11-4 miles southeast of Napier, on the Huff Road, on

## Thursday, January 28, '09,

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp, the following property, to-wit:

**HORSES AND MULES**—Consisting of two good Work Horses, 6 and 8 years old, weight 1210 and 1300; one spotted Mare, 6 years old, weight 1000 pounds, in foal by Morgan horse, good worker and driver; one Sorrel Mare, 7 years old, weight 1000 pounds, splendid driver and saddle; 2 head of Colts coming 2 years old in spring; Horse and Mare well matched and halter broke; one span dark brown Mules, 12 years old, weight about 1100.

**CATTLE AND HOGS**—Consisting of 8 head of good Milk Cows and Heifers, with Calves by side, all fresh last fall and 2 heifers; one Jersey coming 2 years old, in calf will be fresh soon; one Red Polled Heifer, 2 years old, possibly is bred. Six head of Hogs consisting of 3 Brood Sows, bred to farrow early in spring; 3 head of Shoats, weight 100 pounds each.

**CORN AND HAY**—About 1500 bushels of Corn in crib and about 3 or 4 tons of bottom Hay in Stack.

**FARMING IMPLEMENTS, ETC.**—2 Farm Wagons, 1 31-4 Buerskens in good shape; 1 3-inch Charter Oak nearly new; 1 Top Buggy in good shape, used but a short time; 1 McCormick Mowing Machine, used one season; 10 foot McCormick Hay Rake, used one season; 1 Hay Frame; 1 John Deere Walking Lister; 1 John Deere Riding Lister; 1 John Deere Stirring Plow; 1 Canton 2 section Harrow; 2 Cultivators; 1 Jenny Lind and 1 John Deere; 1 single row Go-devil; 1 Dirt Scraper; 1 Grindstone; 3 sets Work Harness; 1 set single Buggy Harness; 1 set double Buggy Harness; 1 Saddle nearly new; Riding Bridle; 2 Log Chains; 1 Cross Cut Saw; 4 feet of 1 1/4 inch Rope; 2 Scoop Endgates. Also about 4 dozen Chickens—White Leghorn and White Plymouth Rock. A few Household goods and other things too numerous to mention.

**TERMS**—All sums under \$10, cash; over \$10 a credit of 10 months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No goods to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

**G. W. Craig's Lunch Wagon on Grounds.**  
**R. C. BENTON, Auctioneer.**  
**J. B. MORGAN, Clerk.**

## L. A. BANKS.

**Workers of the Wireless.**  
The government at Washington is preparing to establish at the national capital a high power wireless station, which is to be the beginning of a system whereby the Navy, War and State Departments may communicate with practically all the world. Of course, it is a simple matter at this time for Washington to reach most of the earth's cities by cable and telegraph, but under the planned method the Secretary of the Navy will be able to communicate with every ship on his department.  
This means that Washington, talking by wireless to San Francisco, will have small difficulty in getting a message to any part of the Pacific Ocean. Stations will be erected at Honolulu, Guam, Samoa, and in the Philippines, from one of which places any ship may be signaled.  
All of this sounds very marvelous, but its realization is very close at hand. Within a few years wireless telegraphy will be as commonly effective as electric illumination is today.

The greatest of all newspapers is the Daily Globe-Democrat, of St. Louis. It has no equal or rival in all the west and ought to be in the hands of every reader of any Daily paper. It costs, by mail, postage prepaid, Daily, including Sunday, one year, \$6.00; 6 months \$3.00; 3 months \$1.50; Daily, Without Sunday, one year, \$4.00; 6 months, \$2.00; 3 months, \$1.00; Sunday Edition—a big newspaper and magazine combined, 48 to 76 pages every Sunday, one year, \$2.00; 6 months, \$1.00. A subscription for the Globe-Democrat, at these prices, is the best possible newspaper investment. Send your order To-day, or write for Free Sample Copy to Globe Printing Company, St. Louis, Mo. See special offer of the "Twice-a-Week" issue of the Globe-Democrat. Two Years for \$1.25, elsewhere in this paper.

The State Board of Agriculture of Missouri in a recent session recommended that the General Assembly of Missouri appropriate \$132,000 for agricultural education. Among the new buildings recommended for the increasing number of students in the agricultural department are a veterinary building, experiment barn and sheds, a building for the study of plant propagation and crop rotation, a horse barn and a separate building for the use of the department of Home Economics. Funds are asked for the study of hog cholera, drainage experiments, investigation of the San Jose scale, and fertilization of orchards. The officers of the State Board of Agriculture are: H. J. Waters, of Columbia, president; John Deere, of Butler, vice-president; George B. Ellis, of Columbia, secretary; F. L. Nelson, of Columbia, assistant-secretary, and W. A. Bright, of Columbia, treasurer.

**NOTICE.**  
After March 1, we will sell for Strictly Cash. Watch this space.  
**BRAGG-MUNN HDW CO.**

**REAL ESTATE MIMOGRAPH**  
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Transfers for week ending January 16, 1909.

WARRANTY DEEDS.	
E. J. Browning to Henry Reese, s2 se nw 35, 63, 40.....	\$ 200
Nancy Christian et al to Jno. H. Reece, nw se 35, 63, 40.....	400
Katie Wetche to Hattie J. Brock, ja 6, 61, 38.....	400
Hattie J. Brock to Jos. S. Wetche, lot 5, block 54, Mound City.....	400
Benton Welsh to Jos. H. Murray, pt sw 16, 59, 37.....	1
Wm. T. Gillman to Fountain Ashworth, sw nw 25, 62, 38.....	400
H. H. Chapplear to Jas. A. Foster, e2 se 15, 59, 38.....	1,825
Mary J. Wehrli et al to Jacob Wehrli, s2 nw se and n2 sw se 6, 62, 38.....	2,000
J. Thomas Evans to Thos. C. and Martha A. Sheppard, s2 lots 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, block 21, Mound City.....	500
Albert P. Decker to T. A. Decker, nw se 27, 62, 38.....	1,800
Jos. H. Murray to Benton Welsh, pt nw sw 16, 59, 37.....	1
Wm. T. Gillman et al by sheriff to Jas. Garrett, nw 36 and e2 35, 62, 38.....	2,840
QUIT CLAIMS.	
Sam'l T. Garrett to Nancy V. Miller, se sw 16, 60, 38.....	400
Freeman Libby to C. B. & Q. R. E. Co., lot 7, block 22, Forest City.....	00

**Notice of Election.**  
Notice is hereby given that there will be an Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Citizens' Bank, of Oregon, Missouri, held at the office of the Citizens' Bank in Oregon, Missouri, on

**SATURDAY, FEB. 13, 1909.**  
at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing five directors for the ensuing year, and transacting any and all business that may come before said meeting. By order of the President,  
C. L. EVANS, DANIEL ZACHMAN, Secretary of Board. President.